REPORT OF THE PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

<u>APPLICATION FOR WAIVER OF MINIMUM REQUIRED ROAD FRONTAGE</u>

ORDINANCE 2019-0018 (WRF-18-25)

FEBRUARY 20, 2019 (Report Finalized 02/13/2019)

Location: 2841 Doric Avenue

Between McGrits Boulevard and Baltic Street

Real Estate Number(s): 101492-0000

Waiver Sought: Reduce Minimum Required Road Frontage from 72

Feet to 62.5 Feet for two lots

Present Zoning: Residential Low Density-90 (RLD-90)

Current Land Use Category: Low Density Residential (LDR)

Planning District: 4-Southwest

Applicant: Fred Atwill, Jr.

Atwill LLC

9001 Forest Acres Lane Jacksonville, FL 32234

Owner: Cheryl Laucks

2841 Doric Ave.

Jacksonville, FL 32210

Staff Recommendation: APPROVE

GENERAL INFORMATION

Application for Waiver of Minimum Required Road Frontage Ordinance 2019-0018 (WRF-18-25) seeks to reduce the required minimum road frontage from 72 feet to 62.5 feet for two lots in order to allow for a lot split for the development of two single-family dwellings in the Residential Low Density-90 (RLD-90) Zoning District. The subject property is approximately 0.43 acres in size with frontage along Doric Avenue.

There is a companion Application for Administrative Deviation (Ordinance 2019-0017/AD-18-44) requesting to reduce the required square footage for single family dwelling in RLD-90 zoning District from 9,900 square feet to 9,375 square feet and to reduce the required width from 90 feet to 62.5 feet for each of the new lots. Staff is recommending approval of the deviation.

The subject property and surrounding neighborhood are part of the Ortega plat as recorded in 1909 in Plat Book 3, Page 40. The original plat generally contained 90 and 100-foot wide lots. The current zoning of RLD-90 was adopted in 2008 per Ordinance 2008-969-E. The two prior zoning districts in the past 30 years (RLD-D, RS-D) also required a minimum of 90 feet of lot width and 72 feet of road frontage per residence. However, the pattern of development has been quite different.

There are currently 33 residential lots within an area bounded by McGirts Boulevard, Harvard Avenue, Baltic Street, and Ionic Avenue (identified as Blocks 21 and 23 of the Ortega Plat). 15 of the 33 lots have substandard road frontage ranging from 69 feet down to 46 feet. 11 of the 15 substandard lots contain residences built between 1918 and 1940, thereby indicating that this pattern of development has gone on for generations.

The companion Ordinance 2019-17 (AD-18-44) seeks to reduce lot width and lot area. Further examination of the residential lots on the two platted blocks reveal that 12 of 33 have insufficient lot area and 17 of 33 have insufficient lot width. The road frontage, lot area, and lot width requirements of RLD-90 do not reflect the long established pattern of development.

DEFINITION

According to Section 656.1601 of the Zoning Code, the term *waiver* means a relaxation of the Zoning Code minimum distance requirements for liquor license locations, pursuant to Section 656.805 of the Zoning Code, and for minimum street frontage, pursuant to Section 656.407 of the Zoning Code. Waivers of Road Frontage are granted by the City Council pursuant to the criteria set forth in Section 656.133 of the Zoning Code.

STANDARDS, CRITERIA AND FINDINGS

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 656.133 of the Zoning Code, a waiver for minimum required street frontage may be granted if the City Council makes a positive finding based on substantial, competent evidence that the application meets all of the following criteria:

(i) Are there practical or economic difficulties in carrying out the strict letter of the regulation?

Yes. It is impractical to impose the strict road frontage requirement for this property when almost half of the lots on the two blocks referenced above do not meet the RLD-90 road frontage requirements. The two proposed 62½-foot wide lots are consistent with and reflective of the established pattern of development.

(ii) Is the request based exclusively upon the desire to reduce the cost of developing the site or to circumvent the requirements of Chapter 654 (Code of Subdivision Regulations)?

No. There is no evidence that granting the waiver would reduce the cost of developing the site. The proposed lot split will result in the creation of two lots. The Code of Subdivision Regulations applies when creating three or more lots.

(iii) Will the proposed waiver substantially diminish property values in, or alter the essential character of, the area surrounding the site and will the waiver substantially interfere with or injure the rights of others?

No. Staff research found that the surrounding area contains many lots zoned RLD-90 which have less than 72 feet of road frontage. Of the 14 lots with frontage along Doric Avenue, 7 have less frontage than the two proposed lots. Granting this waiver will allow development consistent with the historical pattern of development.

(iv) Is there a valid and effective easement for adequate vehicular access connected to a public street maintained by the City or an approved private street?

N/A. The two proposed lots have frontage directly on Doric Avenue, so an easement is not needed.

(v) Will the proposed waiver be detrimental to the public health, safety or welfare, result in additional expense, the creation of nuisances or conflict with any other applicable law?

No. The proposed lots have adequate road frontage and access to allow for City services including first responders. The proposed lots are consistent with the pattern of development and there is no evidence they will be a nuisance or public safety concern.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

Upon visual inspection of the subject property on October 1, 2018 by the Planning and Development Department the required Notice of Public Hearing sign was posted correctly.



RECOMMENDATION

Based on the foregoing, it is the recommendation of the Planning and Development Department that Application for Waiver of Minimum Required Road Frontage **Ordinance 2019-0018 (WRF-18-25)** be **APPROVED.**



Aerial View Source: JaxGIS



Subject Property
Source: Staff, Planning and Development Department, COJ
Date: 10.1.2018



Property to the South: 2840 Doric Ave Source: Staff, Planning and Development Department, COJ Date: 10.1.2018



Property to the East: 2847 Doric Ave.
Source: Staff, Planning and Development Department, COJ
Date: 10.1.2018

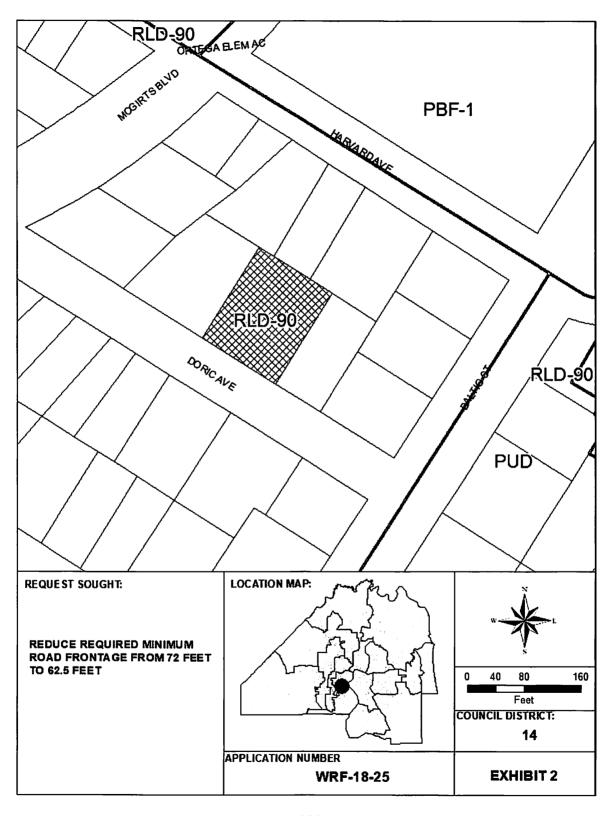


Property to the West: 2833 Doric Ave.
Source: Staff, Planning and Development Department, COJ
Date: 10.1.2018



Properties along Doric Ave. (Widths Approximately 50-60 feet)

Source: Google Maps



Legal Map Source: JaxGIS

Address	Year Built	Lot Area (sq. ft.)	Road Frontage/ Lot Width (feet)	Second Frontage/ Lot Width for Corner Lots	Conforms to RLD- 90?
2844 Harvard Av.	1947	12,632	125′	100′	Yes
4034 Baltic St.	1922	12,632	100′		Yes
4046 Baltic St.	1925	12,196	100′	125′	Yes
2847 Doric Av.	2016	10,890	75′		No
2841 Doric Av. SUBJECT PROPERTY	1921	18,731	125′		Yes
2833 Doric Av.	1921	16,988	130′		Yes
4061 McGirts Bv.	1925	14,811	106′	160′	Yes
4055 McGirts Bv.	1972	12,632	106′		Yes
4049 McGirts Bv.	2006	7,841	105′	70′	No
2810 Harvard Av.	1961	4,091	55′		No
2816 Harvard Av.	1919	13,068	60′		No
2820 Harvard Av.	1926	9,148	60′		No
2826 Harvard Av.	1930	16,988	111'		Yes
2860 Doric Av.	1924	10,454	110′	100′	Yes
4124 Baltic St.	2007	13,939	105′		Yes
4134 Baltic St.	1922	12,197	98′	125′	Yes
2855 Ionic Av.	1920	15,246	60′		No
2849 Ionic Av.	1918	9,148	65′		No
2841 Ionic Av.	1963	10,019	114′		Yes
2831 Ionic Av.	1920	16,118	69′		No
2823 Ionic Av.	1920	10,019	73′		No
2817 Ionic Av.	1935	10,454	155′	92′	Yes
4137 McGirts Bv.	1940	18,731	50′		No
4121 McGirts Bv.	1919	6,970	58′		No
4117 McGirts Bv.	1939	3,920	46′	55′	No
2802 Doric Av.	1926	2,614	65′		No
2810 Doric Av.	1922	5,663	60′	-	No
2816 Doric Av.	1926	8,276	52′		No
2820 Doric Av.	2008	8,712	52′		No
2826 Doric Av.	1976	6,970	50′		No
2832 Doric Av.	1953	9,148	54'		No
2840 Doric Av.	2017	14,810	100′		Yes
2850 Doric Av.	1959	16,553	120′		Yes

Ordinances 2019-17 (AD-18-44) and 2019-18 (WRF-18-25) Neighborhood Analysis (Lot Data Source: Duval County PAO)

Date Submitted: //-27-18	1
Date Filed:	_

Current Zoning District:

Application Number: WRF - 18 - 25
Public Hearing:

Application for Waiver of Minimum Required Road Frontage

City of Jacksonville, Florida Planning and Development Department

Please type or print in ink. Instructions regarding the completion and submittal of this application are located at the end of this form. For additional information, please contact the Planning and Development Department at (904) 255-7865.

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For Official Use Only

Current Land Use Category:

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Council District: /4	Planning District:	
Previous Zoning Applications Filed (provide application)	ion numbers):	
Applicable Section of Ordinance Code:	107	
Notice of Violation(s):		
Neighborhood Associations: DRTEGE PRESER	VETION SOCIETY	
Overlay:		
LUZ Public Hearing Date:	City Council Public Hearing Date:	
Number of Signs to Post: Amount of Fee	Zoning Asst. Initials:	
PROPERTY INFORMATION 1. Complete Property Address: 2841 Doric Avenue	2. Real Estate Number: 101492-0000	
3. Land Area (Acres): 0.43+/-	4. Date Lot was Recorded: 1921	
5. Property Located Between Streets: McGirts Boulevard & Baltic Street	6. Utility Services Provider: City Water / City Sewer Well / Septic	
	2feet to 62.5feet.	
8. In whose name will the Waiver be granted? Cheryl P. Laucks		
	1 of 5	

OWNER'S INFORMATION (please attach separate sheet if more than one owner)		
9. Name: Cheryl P. Laucks	10. E-mail: cplaucks@gmail.com	
11. Address (including city, state, zip): 2841 Doric Avenue Jacksonville, Florida 32210	12. Preferred Telephone: (904) 610-9183	

Fred Atwill, Jr.	14. E-mail: Atwillfred15@gmail.com
15. Address (including city, state, zip): Atwill LLC 9001 Forest Acres Lane Jacksonville, Florida 32234	16. Preferred Telephone: (904) 610-8975

CRITERIA

Section 656.101(I), Ordinance Code, defines a waiver as "a relaxation of the Zoning Code minimum street frontage, pursuant to Section 656.407, Ordinance Code."

Section 656.133(d)1 through 5, Ordinance Code, provides that, with respect to action upon Applications for Waivers, the City Council shall grant a waiver for reduction of the minimum requirements for road frontage, if the Council makes a positive finding based upon substantial, competent evidence that the application meets all of the following five (5) criteria:

- There are practical or economic difficulties in carrying out the strict letter of the regulation; i.
- ii. The request is not based exclusively upon the desire to reduce the cost of developing the site or to circumvent the requirements of Chapter 654 (Code of Subdivision Regulations);
- The proposed waiver will not substantially diminish property values in, nor alter the essential iii. character of the area surrounding the site and will not substantially interfere with or injure the rights of others whose property would be affected by the waiver;
- There is a valid and effective easement for adequate vehicular access connected to a public iv. street which is maintained by the City or approved private street;
- The proposed waiver will not be detrimental to the public health, safety or welfare, result in v. additional expense, the creation of nuisances or conflict with any other applicable law.

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applicant to adoquately substantiate	ch a separate sheet if necessary. Please note that failure by the
result in a denial.	the need for the request and to meet the criteria set forth may
result in a denial.	
Please see Exhibit "J".	

ATT	ACHMENTS
The	following attachments must accompany each copy of the application.
~	Survey
~	Site Plan – two (2) copies on 8 ½ x 11 and two (2) copies on 11 x 17 or larger
V	Property Ownership Affidavit (Exhibit A)
V	Agent Authorization if application is made by any person other than the property owner (Exhibit B)
~	Legal Description – may be written as either lot and block, or metes and bounds (Exhibit 1)
~	Proof of property ownership – may be print-out of property appraiser record card if individual
	owner, http://apps.coi.net/pao propertySearch/Basic/Search.aspx, or print-out of entry from the
	Florida Department of State Division of Corporations if a corporate owner,
	http://search.sunbiz.org/Inquiry/CorporationSearch/ByName.
	Proof of valid and effective easement for access to the property.

*Applications filed to correct existing a	coning violations are subjec	t to a double fee.
Base Fee	<u>Public Notices</u>	Advertisement
Residential Districts: \$1,161.00	\$7.00 per Addressee	Billed directly to owner/agent
Non-residential Districts: \$1,173.00		

AUTHORIZATION

Please review your application. No application will be accepted until all of the requested information has been supplied and the required fee has been paid. The acceptance of an application as being complete does not guarantee its approval by the City Council. The owner and/or authorized agent must be present at the public hearing.

The required public notice signs must be posted on the property within five (5) working days after the filing of this application. Sign(s) must remain posted and maintained until a final determination has been made on the application.

I hereby certify that I have read and understand the information contained in this application, that I am the owner or authorized agent for the owner with authority to make this application, and that all of the information contained in this application, including the attachments, is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Owner(s) Print name: Please see Exhibit "C" Signature:	Applicant or Agent (if different than owner) Print name: Signature:
Owner(s) Print name: Please see Exhibit "C" Signature:	*An agent authorization letter is required if the application is made by any person other than the property owner.

SUBMITTAL

This application must be typed or printed in ink and submitted along with three (3) copies for a total of four (4) applications. Each application must include all required attachments.

Submit applications to:

Planning and Development Department, Zoning Section 214 North Hogan Street, 2nd Floor Jacksonville, Florida 32202 (904) 255-8300

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EXHIBIT A

Property Ownership Affidavit - Individual

Date: _//////8			
City of Jacksonville			
Planning and Development Department			
214 North Hogan Street, Suite 300,			
Jacksonville, Florida 32202			
Re: Property Owner Affidavit for the fol Address: 2841 Doric Avenue	lowing site location in Jackso RE#(s): 101492-0		
To Whom it May Concern:			
Cheyrl P. Laucks	hereby certify that I am the	Owner of the property described in	
Exhibit 1 in connection with filing submitted to the Jacksonville Planning a	g application(s) for Adminis	trative Deviation & Waiver of Required Road Frontage	
By Cheryl J. Lancho Print Name: CHERYL P. L	Aucks		
STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF DUVAL			
known to me or who has produced	P. P. Aucks	re me this // day of who is personally as identification and who	
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EXHIBIT B

Agent Authorization - Individual

Date: 11/16/18				
City of Jacksonville Planning and Development Department 214 North Hogan Street, Suite 300, Jacksonville, Florida 32202				
Re: Agent Authorization for the following Address: 2841 Daric Avenue	g site location in Jacksonville, Fl RE#(s): 101492-0000	orida:		
To Whom it May Concern:				
You are hereby advised that 2841 Doric Avenue		as Subject Property Owner of Signed is the Owner of the property described in		
exhibit 1. Said owner hereby authorized agent to file application(s) for Address Addre	s and empowers Fred Atwill, Jr ministrative Deviation & Waiver	. & Atwill LLC to act as of Required Roadway Frontage for the above		
referenced property and in connection	with such authorization to file	such applications, papers, documents, requests		
and other matters necessary for such repeatment.	equested change as submitted	to the Jacksonville Planning and Development		
By Cheryl J. James Print Name: CHERYL P. LAUCKS				
STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF DUVAL				
by CHARVE LAUCKS who is personally known to me or who has produced as identification and who took an oath.				
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Owner(s)	Applicant or Agent (if different than owner)
Print name: CHERYL P. LAUCKS	Print name: Fresh Atalia Jr.
Signature: Charge P Janeers	Signature: Substitution
	*An agent authorization letter is required if the application is made by any person other than the
Owner(s)	property owner.
Print name:	
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ORDINANCE	

Legal Description

Lot 7, and the Northwest 25 feet of Lot 5, Block 21, Oretga, a subdivision according to the plat thereof recorded at Plat Book 3, Page 40, in the Public Records of Duval County, Florida.



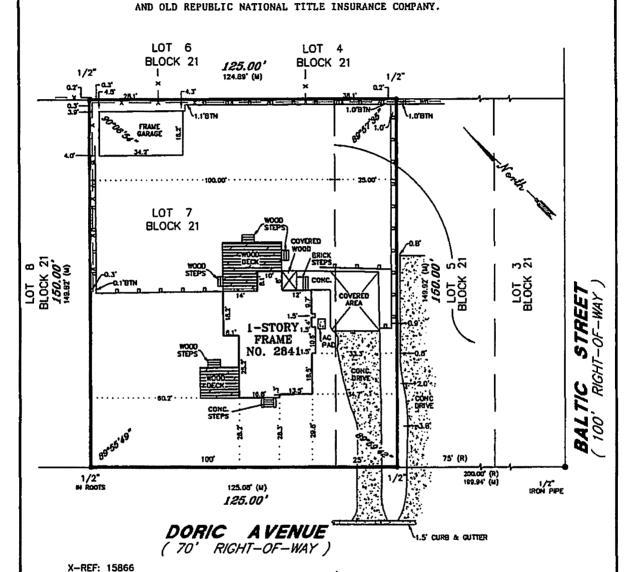
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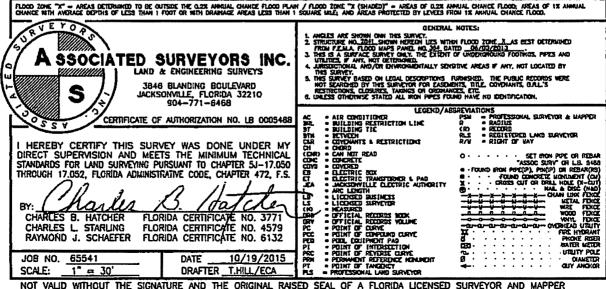
LOT 7 & THE NORTHWEST 25 FEET OF LOT 5 BLOCK 21 ACCORDING TO THE PLAT OF

ORTEGA

PLAT BOOK 3 , PAGE(S) 40
PUBLIC RECORDS OF DUVAL COUNTY, FLORIDA. AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 3 OF THE CURRENT

CERTIFIED TO: ZACHARY H. HANNA AND MAE R. BARKER, SHORE TO SHORE TITLE, LLC





Map Showing Boundry Survey Of
Lot 7 & The Northwest 25 Feet Of Lot 5 Block 21
According To The Plat Of ORTEGA As Recorded in Plat
Book 3, Page 40 Of The Current Public Records
Of Duval County, Florida.
(Addendum to Original)
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House Features

Styles Classifications

Bungalow

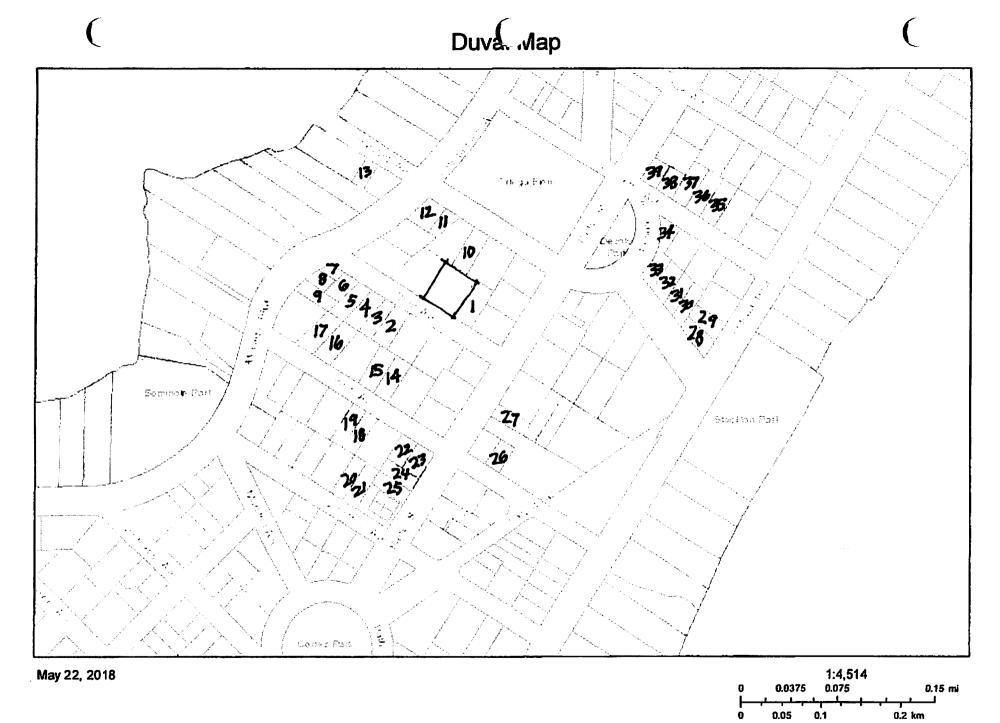
Craftsman

Specifications

Upper Floor	605 sq/ft
Main Floor	1279 sq/ft
Garage	410 sq/ft
Width	38'
Depth	51'
Height	24'
Roof Type	Comp
Roof Load	25
Roof Framing	Trusses
Primary Pitch	9:12
Secondary Pitch	8:12
Main Ceiling	9'
Upper Ceiling Ft	8.

LOT SIZE COMPARISON CHART

No.*	ADDRESS	RES SF	TOTAL LAND AREA SF	FRONT LOT WIDTH	REAR LOT WIDTH	BOTH LOT WIDTHS
1.	2847 Doric Ave.	3,387	11,077			75
2.	2832 Doric Ave.	2,119	9,014	54	93	
3.	2826 Doric Ave.	1,501	6,941	50.7	52.6	
4.	2820 Doric Ave.	2,984	8,792	52.4	63	
5.	2816 Doric Ave.	1,349	8,466	52.4	66.5	
6.	2810 Doric Ave.	1,670	5,58	1		60
7.	2802 Doric Ave.	1,191	2,444	60	95.6	
8.	4117 McGirts Blvd.	933	4,030	52.9	49.5	
9.	4121 McGirts Blvd.	1,630	6,910	51	51.7	
10.	2820 Harvard Ave.	1,331	9,188			60
11.	2810 Harvard Ave.	712	4,601	54.0	35.3	
12.	4049 McGirts Blvd.	2,396	8,035	68	90	
13.	2718 Harvard Ave.	1,765	5,050			50
14.	2849 Ionic Ave.	1,866	9,224			60
15.	2841 Ionic Ave.	2,277	9,9952			65
16.	2823 Ionic Ave.	1,412	9,963	66.5	63	
17.	2817 Ionic Ave	2,130	10,278	73	66.5	
18.	2848 Ionic Ave.	2,031	7,783	50	90	1
19.	2842 Ionic Ave.	1,463	7,510			50
20.	2845 Corinthian Ave.	1,654	8,186			50
21.	2849 Corinthian Ave.	1,654	8,186			50
22.	2862 Ionic Ave.	1,377	6,288			62.5
23.	2866 Ionic Ave.	1,953	7,007			62.5
24.	4158 Baltic St.	1,431	6,563	,		50
25.	4162 Baltic St.	1,540	6,679			50
26.	2911 Ionic Ave.	1,031	5,886			60
27.	4121 Baltic St.	1,985	6,568			50
28.	4030 Ortega Blvd.	2,091	7,198	70	48	
29.	4022 Ortega Blvd.	2,537	7,472	70	47.8	
30.	2941 Harvard Ave.	2,770	6,899			49.3
31.	2935 Harvard Ave.	2,024	6,564	49.3	52.1	
32.	2929 Harvard Ave.	1,331	7,713	65	91.9	1
33.	4015 Desota Circle	1,263	6,466	62.1	62.5	
34.	2918 Princeton Ave.	2,194	5,285	44.1	89	
35.	2929 Princeton Ave.	1,761	9,353	60	71	
36.	2923 Princeton Ave.	2,386	8,882			60
37.	2917 Princeton Ave.	1,799	9,005			60
38.	2911 Princeton Ave.	1,442	5,922	62.6	125	
39.	2903 Princeton Ave.	3,251	5,697			62.2



Sources: Esri, HERE, Garmin, Inlermap, Increment P Corp., GEBCO, USGS, FAO, NPS, NRCAN, GecBase, IGN, Kadaster NL, Ontrance Survey, Esri

BEFORE THE JACKSONVILLE HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION

IN RE: Request for Demolition - 2841 Doric Avenue

ORDER GRANTING REQUEST FOR DEMOLITION

At the February 28, 2018 meeting, the JACKSONVILLE HISTORIC PRESERVATION

COMMISSION, ("Commission") pursuant to §320.407(b)(2), Ord. Code, considered the

application of owner. Cheryl P. Laucks, for permission to demolish the structure located at 2841

Doric Avenue, a contributing property in the Ortega Historic District listed on the National

Register of Historic Places. Cheryl Laucks, the owner of the subject property, presented her

reason for requesting demolition of the structure at the February 28, 2018 meeting. After full

consideration and review, the Commission adopted and incorporated the Planning and

Development Department's Staff Report attached hereto as Exhibit "A". Specifically, the

Commission determined that the structure fails to meet a minimum of four (4) of the criteria

required in Chapter 307, Ord. Code to be designated as a landmark or landmark site. Therefore,

permission to demolish the structure is GRANTED.

DONE AND ORDERED by the Jacksonville Historic Preservation Commission at the

February 28, 2018 public meeting.

CHAIRMAN

Dated: March 14, 2018

FORM APPROVED:

SONDRAR FETNER

ASSISTANT GENERAL COUNSEL

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Exhibit "J"

2841 Doric Avenue

Jacksonville, Florida 32210

Proposed Waiver of Minimum Required Road Frontage

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WARRANTY DEED

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(Wherever used herein the terms "Grantor" and "Grantee" include all the parties to this instrument and the heirs, legal representatives and assigns of individuals, and the successors and assigns of corporations)

WITNESSETH: That the granter, for and in consideration of the sum of Ten And No/100 Dollars (\$10.00) and other valuable consideration, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, hereby grants, bargains, sells, aliens, remises, releases, conveys, and confirms unto the grantee, all the certain land situated in County of Duval, State of Florida, viz:

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Subject to essements, restrictions, reservations and limitations of record, if any

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the same in fee simple forever.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the said grantor has signed and sealed these presents the day and year first above written.

Zaphary H. Harma

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Mae R. Barker

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